

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**Docket Number (Optional)
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Art Unit: 3637

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Examiner: G. Anderson

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set for reply in the office notice or action plus an extensions of time actually obtained.**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee --required for all utility and plant applications
filed before June 8, 1995, and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

☒ Small entity - fee \$ 770.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.☐ Other than small entity - fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in
the form of a statement that the entire delay was unintentional and response to the Office
Action of December 26, 2002, (identify type of reply):☒ has been filed previously on August 8, 2006☐ is enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee and publication fee (if applicable) of \$ _____.

☐ has been paid previously on _____.☐ is enclosed herewith.

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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

☐ A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ _____ for a small entity or \$ _____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE. The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D)).]

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- Enclosures: ☐ Fee Payment
☐ Reply
☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form
☐ Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay
☒ Other: Reply and Amendment previously filed on August 8, 2006

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Sir:

RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

In response to the Dismissal of Petition to Revive Application mailed March 5, 2008, petitioner requests reconsideration of the Petition to Revive Application and also requests a one month extension of time in which to respond to said dismissal.

In support of this request, applicant hereby submits a properly signed Petition for Revival of Abandoned Application and a check for \$60.00 to cover the one month extension of time.

The examiner inquired about the length of time involved in the filing of this petition. The former attorney for applicant died and it took some period of time for his family to arrange for the disposition of his files. Once we received them, they all had to be reviewed to see what needed to be done on them to bring them up to date.

It is believed that this renewed petition and the above-described action are sufficient to grant applicant's petition for revival of this application and such action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K L Green', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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